



Shop Bargains for the Week



The Tribune Shopper Explores for and Discovers the Week's Best Offerings.

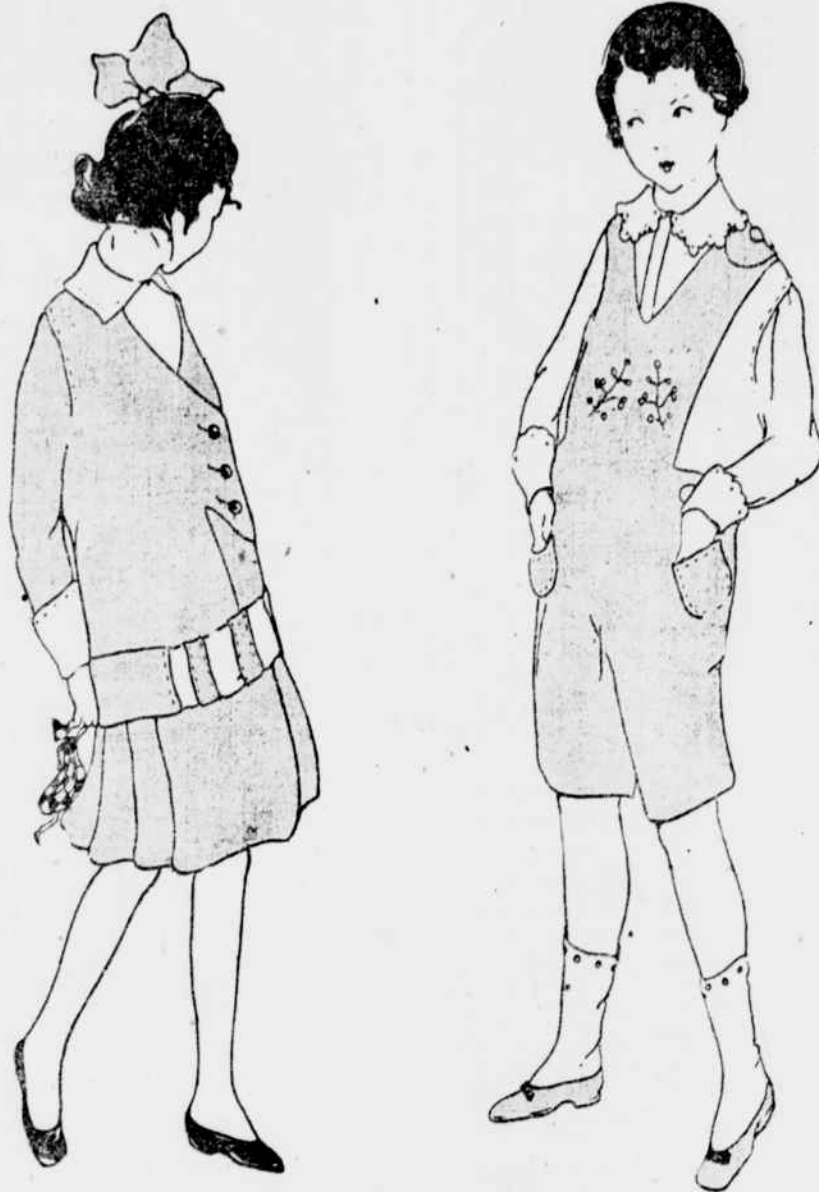
ONE does not depart far from nature without paying for the privilege; hence the many complaints of trouble with those all important members, the feet. DR. REED'S cushion shoes, sold at 12 Park Place and 1372 Broadway, seem to have given relief to such sufferers. A specially prepared wool fibre in the shoes keeps the feet at an even temperature and absorbs all moisture. A special sale is being carried on just now in the broken sizes. A good broad toed shoe, designed especially for comfort, may be had for \$3.95. This formerly sold for \$5. An arch supporting shoe, cut on smart lines, is reduced to \$4.95 from \$6. This is of soft kid and laced. A comfortable oxford tie in patent leather or plain kid with medium heel may be had for \$5. A nice looking plain pump or Colonial pump may also be had in patent leather for \$5.

THE MARK CROSS COMPANY, 404 Fifth Avenue, is showing good quality leather and velvet shopping bags, which are being reduced, some to as little as \$3. A "Pullman" bag, that most useful of travelling companions,

the new models are suits for \$25 in pretty English tweeds. They have Norfolk jackets and full flare skirts with an inverted box pleat on either side. A gabardine model in dark blue has the new empire effect, with a smart belt across the front and wide flaring skirt. Price, \$20. For \$22.50 may be had a suit in two-toned checks, or dark blue, or black. The smart little jacket buttons right up the front with large bullet buttons. For \$2 can be found attractive frocks for the small girl. One of these is a dainty little empire model in white linene with a white batiste guimpe. Another at the same price is of pink rep, trimmed with crochet buttons, and a wide black velvet belt. Crêpe gingham frocks at \$2 are very useful for the school girl up to sixteen years.

CHECKED SUITINGS

At ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO.'S, 881 Broadway, I saw some good checked suitings, fifty-four inches wide, at \$1.25, regularly sold at \$2. Cotton corduroys are very much in



In six to ten year old sizes comes this frock of pink wash material, with white hemstitched vest, collar and cuffs. From Bonwit-Teller, \$1.50.

Alice Maynard offers these ready made pink or blue chambray summer trousers and white shirt, with embroidery stamped in, for \$1.75.

from six to ten. At \$2.95 is a pretty Anderson gingham, warranted not to fade. It is daintily finished with turnback collar and cuffs. A pink or blue rep, at \$1.95, has a tiny vest and embroidered collar and cuffs of white. For the older schoolgirl there is an attractive model of Toile de Nord at \$5. It is made with a full pleated skirt. A pretty little wash frock for the younger girl comes in blue for \$1.50. In lingerie there are en-

velope chemises at \$1.95, charmingly designed in the Empire style and trimmed with Valenciennes lace and embroidery. An unusually attractive nainsook gown, at \$1.95, is trimmed with "Val" and has eyelets, satin ribbon run, to form the Empire effect. Another gown elaborately trimmed with "Val" lace and insertion and numerous pin tucks is \$2.97. Crêpe de chine gowns and combinations trimmed with wide "Val" are to be had for \$3.95.

Silver, China and Damask for the Dining Room

At GIMBEL BROTHERS', Thirty-third Street and Sixth Avenue, I saw, for \$27.50, an attractive set of fine china, consisting of 101 pieces. Dainty festoons of flowers adorn the border and all handles are gold painted. When breakages occur extra pieces may be had to match. A breakfast set of fifty-six pieces is \$7.95. The decorations are unique—a solid colored border with a wreath of lighter colored flowers upon it. Graceful goblets in engraved glass are now being sold for \$4.20 a dozen, and sherbet glasses to match at the same price. Glass bonbon baskets with tall handles are 98 cents. Nickel-plated teakettles with stand and alcohol lamps are priced at \$2.35. Folding card tables with felt covered tops are reduced to \$1.95. Straw suitcases, lined with art cretonne, are sold for \$5.

JAMES MCCREERY & CO., West 34th Street, show especially attractive designs in

sterling silver at moderate prices. Small domino sugar holders for the tea table are only \$1.95. A larger size, with a handle formed by an odd pair of sugar tongs, is \$5.25. Another unique pair of tongs resembling ice tongs is \$1. A tea strainer, shaped like a tiny teapot, costs \$2.25. Cheese plates, with decorative designs of sterling silver deposit, are \$1 up. A three-piece tea set of china with silver deposit decorations is \$12.75, while a mayonnaise set costs \$5.95. In the linen department odd tablecloths of fine damask are \$4.85, reduced from \$7.50. Irish damask table napkins in odd patterns have also been reduced to \$3.50 a dozen. At \$1.90 and up are excellent tablecloths, two yards square, with damask figures. Hand embroidered linen pillow cases are now \$1.75 a pair, and plain pillow cases \$1. A lot of good quality huck towels in odd patterns are to be had for 75 cents.

FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS SALES

In order to obtain good results the home dresser must have a dress form. A very well made, adjustable figure is being offered just now at BLOOMINGDALES', Lexington Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, at the special price of \$5.75. This can be adjusted so readily that one's figure can be almost exactly reproduced. In the FURNITURE department, for \$11.75, there is an oval shaped mahogany table for the library, selling regularly for \$16.50. A special sale is being carried on in three-piece library suites, consisting of davenport and two comfortable chairs upholstered in leather. Price, \$22.50. An armchair or rocker, also upholstered in automobile leather, is \$5.98. Faille silk in many different shades, a yard wide, may be had for 55 cents. Another quality, forty inches wide, is 95 cents. Silk shirtings are now being sold in various colors for 59 cents.

Rivalling the popular brass bedstead is one of steel tubing. A curious translucent finish applied to it makes the metal particularly hard and absolutely sanitary, as it can easily be

washed with soap and water. These come in purple, brass trimmed, for \$12.34, and in black, brass trimmed, for \$13.49. They are on sale at MACY'S, Broadway and Thirty-fourth Street. In the men's department shirts may be made to measure in madras for \$2.48 and in satin striped silk for \$4.96. There are new shirting materials, such as Scotch oxfords and flannels, French madras and prints, in very effective designs. A number of very attractive lamp shades, in silk and cretonne or the various Japanese effects, are being sold at half price—from 79 cents up, according to size and material. In some cases there is just one of a kind, as many of them are only samples. A specialty is also being made of making lamps and vases at a moderate cost.

SAKS, Sixth Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, are offering in their lingerie department white batiste gowns, nicely trimmed with "Val" and embroidery, for \$1.50 and \$2. Others of figured crêpes in delicate colors are to be had for \$1. Some very pretty albatross

Now Is the Time to Replace the Worn Objects in Wardrobe and Home.

negligees in various colors are reduced to \$2.95. These have accordion pleated skirts and are made in empire style, with dainty white embroidered collars and cuffs. Petticoats of changeable taffeta with pleated ruffles are \$2. Casque combs in various designs have rhinestone borders and cost from 50 cents up. A French enamel boudoir clock in a neat leather travelling case may be had in various colors for \$2.95. Flower bead necklaces made from flower petals and scented are 45 cents. Combined with imitation pearls each bead is moulded in the form of a flower. Boxes with curious little animals of carved alabaster on top for the desk or dressing table cost \$1.

At ALICE MAYNARD'S, 546 Fifth Avenue, was seen a charming collar shaped like a flower, high at the back and sides, but comfortably low in front. It was daintily trimmed with Valenciennes lace, and priced at \$1.50. At the same price is another of pleated organdie. Tiny buttons hold the pleats in place, so that the collar stands upright—all but a tiny bit, which turns over at the top into a little frill. Both of these collars are of wash organdie, and may be easily laundered. A collar of hand-

desired temperature. This contrivance will be of invaluable assistance when travelling and a great convenience at night. It may be obtained for \$7 at LEWIS & CONGER'S, Sixth Avenue and Forty-fifth Street. Here also are found quaint candlesticks copied in steel from old Flemish designs for \$1.25. For 65 cents are candle trimmers to trim candles to the size of the candlestick. A Cape Cod fire lighter at \$3.50 would in a short time save many times its cost by sparing the kindling. This consists of a brass can for oil, into which is placed a very porous and absorbent stone fastened to a wire handle. After being soaked in the oil it will burn for quite a while, thus doing away with the necessity for kindling. Egg separators of aluminum cost 15 cents. A jewelry cleaning outfit—chamois, brush, jewelry soap, etc.—all fitted into a neat box, costs \$1. Some good copies of old brass sundials for the garden are \$3 and up. A useful pocket set of five tools, which fit into the handle of a pocket knife, is \$1.25. It comes in a strong leather case.

ADORNING THE HAIR

All of the switches made at SIMONSON'S, 506 Fifth Avenue, are from the natural hair of French or English persons. The hairs are of equal length, are carefully matched and contain neither dyeing nor bleaching agents. Switches made in three detachable sections cost \$10 and more, according to size, color, etc. One's own combings are made up into switches at half the price of the others. Here also may be had the lasting hair wave. This is retained even after being shampooed, and it is guaranteed for three years. Hairpins for evening wear, set with rhinestones across the top, are \$3 and up. The Oriental band to be worn across the forehead may be had in plain noid, set with rhinestones. Another rhinestone band has a star over the middle of the forehead with a tiny drop. Plain velvet bands with rhinestone slides are also much used. These bands may be had from \$5 up.

LORD & TAYLOR, Fifth Avenue and Thirty-ninth Street, are showing some fine veils with black or white lace edges for 9 cents. These are more than a yard long. Another veil, for \$1.50, has a design in hand-colored embroidery across the lower part, giving a rather Oriental effect. An octagonal mesh veil, for \$1, gathered at the top on an elastic, has a velvet appliqué design on the lower edge. Among the new BLOUSES are



The above blouse, of embroidered voile and organdie vest, collar and cuffs and hemstitched pintucks, is \$2.95 at Lord & Taylor's.

From the neckwear department at Wanamaker's are the stocks at 50 cents each. The second, of white bengaline, is piped in black, the first, of wash organdie and lace, has a black pump bow.

embroidered net costs \$1. For the same price is a high collar of wash organdie with a hand-fagotted edge. In the embroidery department are little wash chambray suits for boys at \$1.50 and \$1.75. The tiny trousers are of colored material and the little shirt is white. These are all made and stamped to be embroidered at home. There are also some pretty little dresses for the small girl at the same price. Quaint wash hats, stamped, are 75 cents. Midy blouses in white for older girls, stamped, are \$1.35.

For the benefit of that very important member of the family, the baby, has been designed an electric coil to surround a milk bottle and heat the milk in a very few minutes to the

very attractive models in voiles at moderate prices. One cross-barred voile, combined with plain material and trimmed with machine hemstitching, has an embroidered collar that turns over a smart moire black stock. Price, \$2.95. A useful tailored model in pongee at the same price has an adjustable collar, which may be worn either low or buttoned high about the neck. For \$1.95 are very good blouses in embroidered voiles.

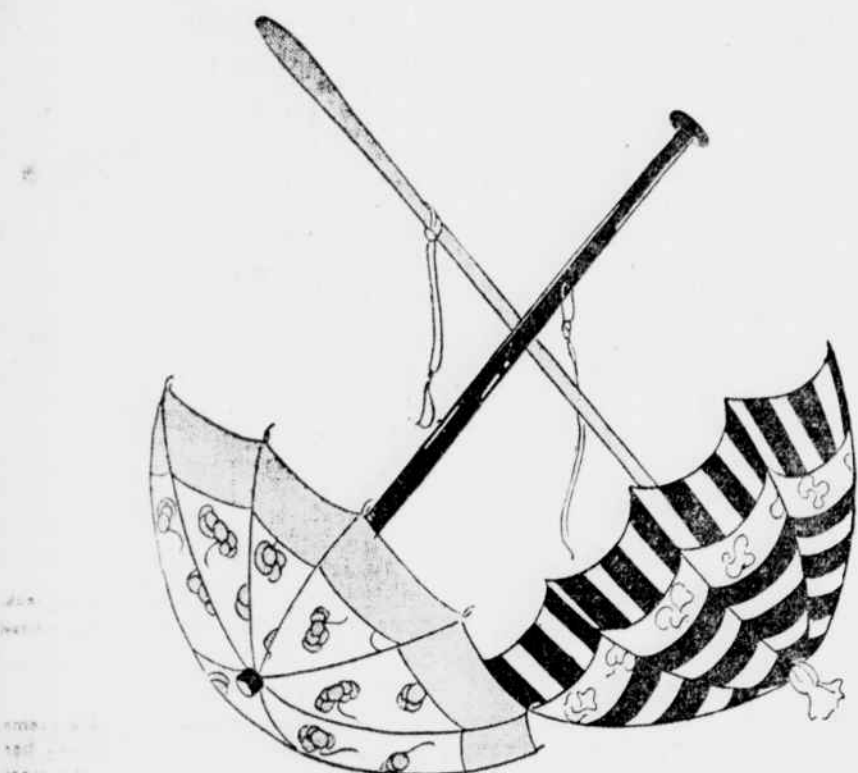
At KURZMAN'S, 385 Fifth Avenue, are sports coats, distinctive in design, of beautiful quality velour. They are reduced to \$5. For the same price there is a well made blue serge coat, with a broad belt just across the hips to restrain the slight fullness that is necessary in order to have a generous flare at the bottom. A suit in lightweight blue serge has an odd short jacket and a particularly well cut skirt. This is \$25, reduced from \$45.

Made-in-America and Other Silks and Dress Materials

At ALTMAN'S, Fifth Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, are excellent quality white habutai silks for \$1.65 a yard, 32 inches wide. This is excellent value, being usually \$2.50. For \$1.65 good black habutai silk, waterproof. "Salome" pongees, which usually sell for \$1.50, have been reduced to 85 cents. Blue taffeta silks in the new "Joffre" shade are to be obtained for \$2. Cotton corduroy in all the colors popular for sports coats costs 78 cents. In the glove department I found white suede gloves, recommended especially because they may be easily cleaned at home. These have been reduced to \$1.50. The Perault white glove has decorative black stitching to match the black band at the wrist. A black glove may be had trimmed similarly in white, and is popular just now for semi-dress wear. Price, \$2.25. A great reduction has been made on fur-lined gloves in broken sizes.

JOHN WANAMAKER, Broadway and Ninth Street, is exhibiting the "made in Amer-

ica" cotton materials which are expected to be more than usually popular this year. Some very good silk and cotton ratines are to be had here just now at the special price of 38 cents, reduced from 58 cents. Forty-four-inch cotton crêpes cost 30 cents. Heavy ramie linens in colors, as well as white, are 75 cents. Printed cotton voiles at 25 cents are of fine quality and have quaint old-fashioned designs quite appropriate for the 1830 fashions now upon us. These are one yard wide. A smart Bengaline silk vest in sand color, with large nickel buttons, is \$1. A neat little collar and cuff set of wash organdie with wide stitched hems is 35 cents a set. The vest shown in the sketch is of wash organdie, hemstitched and with fine pin tucks. Price 50 cents. An organdie stock, also 50 cents, has a dainty lace edge turned over the top and points turned back in front, with pump bow and tie of black taffeta. A white bengaline stock piped with black and buttoned up the front with black buttons is 50 cents.



A facsimile of Japanese paper parasols is the first of these from Stern Brothers, at \$4.95. The second, black and white striped, with pink flowered inset, is \$2.95.

contains in small compass all the necessities for the toilette—comb, brush, mirror, powder puff, etc., and costs \$11.50. Another neat case for travelling, inclosing two combs, costs \$3.25. Priced at \$7.75 is a tiny alcohol stove large enough to heat a cup of water and small enough, when fitted into its neat leather case, to go into one's pocket. At \$2.75 I found a small English morocco medicine case containing four bottles, measuring glass and pocket for court plaster or scissors. A purse, known as the tray purse, is convenient for carrying change and is very popular with men. Price, \$3.50. Gold plated monograms are made to order for leather goods for \$2. A pocket lunch case, priced at \$2, is of good pigskin and contains a folding knife, fork and napkin. A pocket case, in cylindrical form, containing a small drinking cup as well as the knife, fork and napkin, sells for \$2.75.

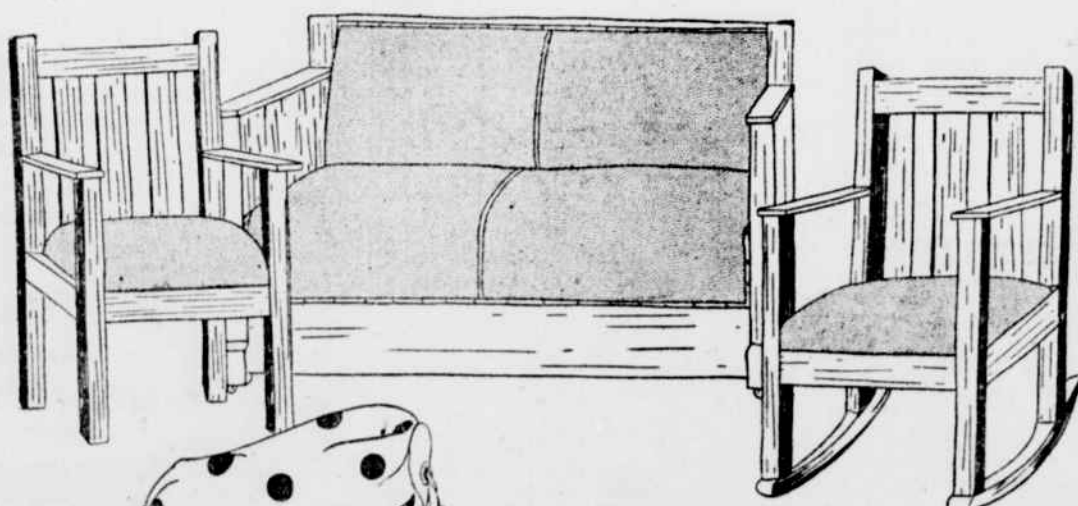
SHOES AND HOSIERY

THE REGAL SHOE COMPANY, at Thirty-seventh Street and Broadway, has reduced to \$2.95 shoes which formerly sold for \$5. They have patent leather vamps, with fancy or plain tops. Men's good tan walking boots are also reduced to \$2.95, as well as those with patent leather vamps and mat calf uppers. These are to be obtained in odd sizes only. Women's English walking boots—laced ones—with sensible flat heels, are \$4. The gaiter shoe, which comes in a patent leather vamp with tan buckskin uppers and buttons up the side, is \$5. Bronze shoes, which are still popular, may be had with bronze trimmings and tan cloth tops for \$6. Evening slippers in patent leather, with jet buckles, cost \$4. The Vernon Castle dancing pump for women comes in patent leather, with black and white strap, for \$5. Adjustable arch supporters, to be worn inside ordinary shoes, give a great deal of comfort and cost only \$2.

PECK & PECK, 481 Fifth Avenue, have good silk hose at \$1. These may be had in seventy shades, as well as black and white. Silk stockings that are guaranteed may be had for \$2.50 in shades to match any frock. They are made to order if necessary. Silk and lisle stockings with excellent wearing qualities are sold three pairs for \$1, or 35 cents a pair. Lighter, gauzier ones may be had at the same price. The 50-cent lisle hose, though moderately thin, are quite desirable, for they have spliced heels and toes. Hand embroidered hose for evening wear may be had in black and colors for \$2.

COATS IN MANNISH TWEEDS

At OPPENHEIM-COLLINS'S, 35 West Thirty-fourth Street, I saw very good coats in fancy tweeds, made along mannish lines, for \$15. These have been made rain proof and would be serviceable for travelling. They are not too heavy for early spring wear. Among



Bloomington offers this three-piece fumed oak suite for \$22.50.